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REJECTION [37 C.F.R. 1.321(b)]**

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EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, BCE IP, of Petitioner and represents that he is empowered
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Petitioner, Bell Canada, 1050 Beaver Hall Hill, Montreal, Quebec, Canada
H2Z 1S4, is the Assignee and owner of the entire right, title and interest in and to the
above-identified application and invention. This application is a continuation of application
Serial No. 09/874,535, filed on June 5, 2001, now United States Patent No. 6,735,293 B2,
for Applicants Alan G. Doherty, Neil S. Rieck, Stephen M. Kennel, Terry J. Shannon and
Robert H. Yip, entitled METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR FACILITATING
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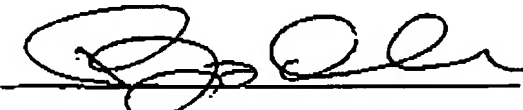
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